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Applicant Hewlett-Packard Company
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Title: Storage Device Performance Monitor

REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)
UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.114
WITH PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Advisory Action dated April 4, 2005 Applicant submits this Request for Continued Examination (RCE) within the 3 month reply date set forth in the final rejection.